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Items for the Daily Log - 1 April 1954

Legislative Counsel

1. Mr. Amory and I called upon Congressman Scrivner, at the latter's request, to discuss photographs alleged to have been taken [redacted] (See Mr. Amory's Memorandum for the Record this date.)

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3. In the absence of Chairman Cole of the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy (and on the Director's instructions, relayed through DD/I), I have informed Corbin Allerdice, Executive Director of the Joint Committee Staff, that the DCI will be prepared to give the Joint Committee its periodic briefing after 8 April. The date has tentatively been set for 13 April at 2 o'clock.

4. Mr. Frank Cotter of the Staff of the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy has informed [redacted] Chief NED, that through Cotter's sources, presumably on the McCarthy Committee Staff, he has learned that once McCarthy gets through with the Army he plans to take on CIA.

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5. Some days ago Mrs. Benn of the Staff of the House Immigration Subcommittee called my office on behalf of Congressman Walter of the Committee to see what the status was of our report to the Immigration Service in the case of [redacted]. We informed Mrs. Benn that we had no identifiable derogatory information and were so informing the Immigration Service that day. [redacted] of Staff C now informs me that Congressman Walter had evidently had these calls made to all agencies involved in the immigration checks and had passed the results on to [redacted] lawyer, and that the Immigration Service was much disturbed by this breach of confidential information. This is noted for the record.

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